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Patent #

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Mail Stop Amendment

In re Patent Application of

Otto Z. Zhou et al.

Application No.: 10/051,183

Filing Date: January 22, 2002

Title: LARGE-AREA INDIVIDUALLY ADDRESSABLE MULTI-BEAM X-RAY SYSTEM AND METHOD OF FORMING SAME

Group Art Unit: 2882

Examiner: HOON K SONG

Confirmation No.: 9917

AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

☐ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.

☐ Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the ☐ \$55.00 (2814) ☐ \$110.00 (1814) fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.

☐ Also enclosed is/are _____

☐ Small entity status is hereby claimed.

☐ Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$385.00 (2801) ☐ \$770.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).

☐ Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.

☐ Applicant(s) previously submitted _____

_____ on _____
for which continued examination is requested.

☐ Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least _____ which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.

☐ A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.

- ☒ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☐ An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below.

AMENDED CLAIMS					
	No. of Claims	Highest No. of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	78	MINUS 70 =	8	x \$18.00 (1202) =	\$ 144.00
Independent Claims	8	MINUS 8 =	0	x \$86.00 (1201) =	\$ 0.00
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$290.00 (1203)					
Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 144.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 72.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$ 72.00

- ☐ A check in the amount of _____ is enclosed for the fee due.
- ☒ Charge \$ 72.00 to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.
- ☐ Charge _____ to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

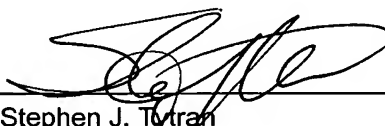
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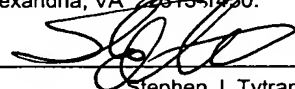
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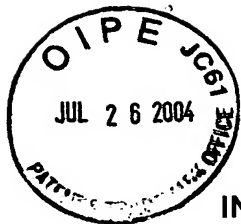
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action mailed on April 21, 2004, please amend this application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper;

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper;

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 17 of this paper and include an attached new drawing sheet;

Remarks begin on page 18 of this paper; and

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 20 of this paper.

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